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AND VIRGINIA ADVERTISER.  
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"Nothing To Do."—Rev. J. F. W. Ware, of Baltimore, pastor of the "Church of the Saviour," on Sunday, week preached a sermon, taking for the subject of his discourse "Nothing To Do," and the Sun gives the following condensed report of his remarks:

His text was from 20th Matthew, 7th verse: "All the day idle." The reverend speaker said nothing to wear and nothing to read had been treated of. A worse nothing than either is nothing to do. It touches a lower moral deep and betrays a graver moral want.

The immense amount of aimless living, of nothing-to-do-ness, which characterizes whole classes of this, as of every large community, bad as it is for the individual is worse for the community. The negro is not the only initiative animal. Example descends. If the mistress shows she has nothing to do, why wonder that the maid does nothing.

Isn't it a something fearful when you think of the numbers who have no aim in life but to get through so many days and nights? What a millstone some people contribute to hang about their necks and call it life? How do they contribute not to be worn out with disgust at their own society? Endowed with everything God ever puts into a man, and the world pining for workers in every conceivable field, and they nothing to do; men, magnificent in talents, goods, and woman superb in all that art adds to nature, consuming life at the toilette, over a novel, in elegant fripperies, or yawning and longing for the next excitement and beside, nothing to do, but these poor creatures nothing!

On how many faces you may read for rent, or for sale, inquire within, offering a vacancy to any occupant. No wonder a wandering satan takes up so many of these empty abodes.—There is not a bigger lie than much lying animal man can tell than to say he has nothing to do. There is no possibility for which God has not demand, for which man does not want and suffer. War has its exemptions but not duty.—The cry of nothing to do never comes from an earnest man. A sturdy boy will not utter it. The world we live in is full of demand. Springing upon us everywhere there is a mission ground before every soul. There are great impending dangers whose gloomy shadows advance stealthily and solidly upon us. There are private sins ripening into public immoralities, class wants and wrongs, social evils, diseases, tyrannies, needing grave thought and brave action. These are to be met only by the honest doing of individual honest souls, by the countenancing force of well combined atoms, by each man's feeling he has something to do, some word to say, some stand to take.

An idle life is as demoralizing to a woman as to a man. There is no grosser selfishness than the life of the woman who has nothing to do. Dowagers magnificent in poodles, misses munificent in snittles, the whole rout of the useless are busy at the devil's loom weaving the mesh that is to bind their own souls in with the growing depravities their indolence fosters. The city is full of things only woman can do, waiting, pining for them.

No man or woman can be held guiltless who stands through life idle, under the plea of nothing to do. For a woman is just as much as by best effort they can do. Duty, like God, is never far away.

SHORT WEIGHTS, &c.—Latterly somebody has been making an examination in merchantable frauds, and finds a sad result. It is stated most positively that Boston puts up short weight in mackerel; Philadelphia makes syrup out of starch; New York gauges a barrel of whiskey or syrup that could not possibly hold over forty gallons for forty-four and a half, and waters it to any per cent. required. The city of Cincinnati packs candles, lard, whiskey, bacon and flour on the principle of short weight and long tare; New York will put the Genesee brand on anybody's flour; in Chicago the other day it was ascertained that the coal merchants make a practice of selling coal short of weight by two hundred pounds on a ton, and one of the dealers publicly boasting that he had been fined six times during the past winter, but that it paid better to incur the risk of prosecution than to give full weight.—*Balt. American.*

HORACE GREELEY.—We never expected to find Horace Greeley committing plagiarism.—What he knows about farming is utterly unprecedented, as are also his views of political economy. But in a speech he has just made at New Orleans the sage of Chappaqua scatters about the famous words of a lady by no means sage: "I have come to the South," said H. G., "for the good of all." These are just the words of the German mistress of George I. of England when she found herself surrounded in her chair by a furious mob.—"Why do you rage at me?" she exclaimed from the window. "I have come to England for all your goods."—"D—n you, yes!" fiercely responded one of the mob, "and for all our chattels, too!" The people of New Orleans evidently are more polite than were the people of London.—*N. Y. World.*

ORTHOGRAHY.—There is a queer philosopher in Paris, a great leveller, who has published a pamphlet, suggesting that all arbitrary rules of orthography be abolished by official decree asavoring of aristocracy and despotism. There can be no true, broad, and general freedom, argues the pamphleteer, where the correct use of the alphabet prevails. To be perfectly free one must be permitted to spell as he chooses. In the meantime, and simultaneously with this singular suggestion, the French Academy is gravely discussing the propriety of dispensing with the second "h" in the word "hypothecation."

NAPOLEON AT CHISELHURST.—It is said that the life of the imperial exiles at Chiselhurst flows on quietly, without ostentation or show, and that those who have remained true to Napoleon in his misfortunes maintain the belief that their imperial master will once again occupy the Tuilleries. The supposition of the exiled Court at Chiselhurst is that the restoration of the empire will be carried out by the Prussians. The Emperor of Germany and Prince Bismarck are, they claim, in favor of placing the Prince Imperial on the throne of France.

SILVER BROOK WHISKY.—A supply of this justly celebrated Pure Old Rye Whisky, bottled and on draught, for sale by  
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Price \$1 by mail \$1.25. For sale by  
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**DRUG STORE**  
Having purchased the Drug Store on the northeast corner of King and Washington sts., for a number of years past known as Millburn's Drug Store, I respectfully inform the citizens of Alexandria and vicinity that I will keep constantly on hand a full and complete assortment of all articles usually found in a first class drug store.

Particular attention will be paid to the compounding of prescriptions day and night.  
aug 31—**SAMUEL H. LUNT.**

**E. S. LEADBEATER & BRO.**  
DEALERS IN  
PURE DRUGS AND MEDICINES,  
CHEMICALS, PAINTS, OILS,  
VARNISHES, GARDEN SEEDS,  
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aug 2—**Alexandria, Va.**

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PURE DRUGS AND CHEMICALS, PAINTS,  
VARNISHES AND OILS,  
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Prompt attention given to orders and inquiries from the country.  
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Paints, Oils and Varnishes,  
FRENCH WINDOW GLASS & PUTTY.

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Orders and inquiries from the country promptly attended to.  
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**CHISELHURST FURNITURE.**  
FINEST WAREHOUSES IN THE SOUTH.

**W. H. MITCHELL & SON.**  
Manufacturers of  
**FURNITURE,**  
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A large and fine stock always on hand. Jan 25  
**FURNITURE WHOLESALE & RETAIL.**  
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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Having fitted up our factory with the latest and most approved machinery, we are prepared to furnish all kinds of HOUSE, OFFICE and SCHOOL FURNITURE at the very lowest rates; and are also prepared to do all kinds of SAWING, TURNING, MOULDING, PLANING and CARVING in our line.

Wanted, in exchange for Furniture, Walnut, Poplar, Oak, Maple, Birch and Cedar Logs.  
jan 8—**JAMES H. DEVAUGHN.**

No. 136 King street,  
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Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**FURNITURE,**  
Looking Glasses,  
Hair, Cotton Top  
and Husk Mattresses,  
kept constantly on hand and made to order at reasonable prices.  
sep 30—**C. C. BRADLEY.**

Manufacturer and Dealer in  
**FURNITURE,**  
205 Corner King and Alfred streets,  
jan 1—**Alexandria, Va.**

**SUMMER BOARDING**  
AT SPRINGDALE,  
LOUDOUN COUNTY, VIRGINIA.  
This pleasant and very healthy Summer Place, at Lincoln, three miles from Hamilton station, W. & O. R. R., is being thoroughly fitted up, and will be open for the reception of boarders June 10th, 1871.

A COACH will be kept for the accommodation of boarders, which will meet the trains regularly on Saturdays and Mondays at Hamilton Station.

TERMS:  
\$8 to \$10 per week, according to rooms.—Children under ten years of age and servants \$5. Several single gentlemen can be accommodated with very pleasant third-story rooms at \$6 per week.

REFERENCES:  
Mrs. Edwin Green, 1205 K st., Washington.  
Capt. C. C. Baugh, First Aid. office, Alexandria.  
Robert H. Miller, esq., Alexandria, Va.  
Address:—**S. T. NICHOLS,**  
London county, my 6—1m

**VALUABLE REAL ESTATE FOR SALE.**  
100 ACRES OF IMPROVED LAND, on the Middle River Turnpike, 7 miles from Washington and 4 from Alexandria, with a beautiful view of the latter city and of the Potomac river. The improvements consist of a BRICK DWELING HOUSE, with all the necessary outbuildings, and an abundance of choice fruit of all descriptions. The farm is well watered, and has on it a plenty of timber.

200 ACRES OF HEAVILY TIMBERED LAND, 8 miles from Washington city—some distance from Alexandria, and about 3 miles from a station on the W. & O. R. R., offering a ready market for wood and timber.

A FARM, in Fauquier county, 6 miles below Warrenton, and within two miles of a station on the Warrenton branch of the O. A. & M. R. R. The tract contains about 400 acres; is well timbered and watered, and is considered fine grazing land.

The above property, the title to which is without defect, will be sold cheap and upon accommodating terms. Apply to A. B. Gazette office, feb 11—**my 11**

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Fine Clothing for Gentlemen and Boys.

AN ENTIRELY NEW STOCK.

By far the largest and most varied, and the most elegantly made up, in new and stylish modes, handsomely trimmed and well sewed—colors from the gravest to the gayest, to suit all tastes, for boys of eight or ten of eighty.

Which will be disposed of by a LIVELY AND QUICK SALE.

To insure this we have put the lowest figure possible on each article in the store.

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SECURE THE "FIRST PICK" FROM THE STORE.

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Buy your Shirts, Cravats and other Gents' belongings from our very large stock, which comprises everything needed.

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WASHINGTON, D. C.

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**BURKE & HERBERT,**  
BANKERS,  
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Loans negotiated, Sight Drafts, Checks and Time Bills collected on all accessible points and remitted for promptly.  
U. S. Revenue Stamps and Corporation Tax Certificates of Alexandria always on hand and for sale.  
nov 11—**WILMER D. CORSE.**

**WILMER D. CORSE & CO.,**  
Nos. 57 and 59 King St.,  
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WILL DEAL IN  
DOMESTIC EXCHANGE, GOLD AND SILVER COIN, UNCURRENT MONEY,  
RAILROAD BONDS, &c., &c.

GOVERNMENT BONDS and other securities bought and sold on commission.  
Collections made on all accessible points in the United States, and proceeds promptly remitted. Internal Revenue stamps for sale.  
sep 1—**WOOD AND COAL.**

**HAMPSHIRE AND BALTIMORE COAL.**  
GEORGE'S CREEK COAL  
for sale by the cargo or ton. Apply to  
**GEO. HUTTON, Agent.**  
Foot of Wolfe street,  
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Constantly on hand a supply of superior quality WHITE and RED ASH COAL, which will be sold at market rates, 220 lbs to the ton.  
**M. ELDRIDGE & CO.,**  
No. 4 South Wharves.  
jan 18

**JOHN LEATHERLAND,**  
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No. 26 King st., and corner Queen and Water. The best descriptions of COAL always on hand and at the lowest prices.  
Orders solicited and promptly filled. dec 18

**J. P. AGNEW,**  
Agent for the  
Sale and shipment of best quality  
GEORGE'S CREEK,  
CUMBERLAND and  
ANTHRAHITE COAL.

Either by the cargo, car load or retail.  
220 Coal Docks, Alexandria, Va., and Georgetown, D. C.  
jan 9—**my 5**

**IRON, STEEL, NAILS, HORSE SHOES**  
HOUSE SHOE NAILS; a full and complete assortment of above goods, for sale by  
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## COMMISSION-MERCHANTS.

**SHINN & CO.,**  
(Successors to Samuel Hartley.)  
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Particular attention paid to the selling of FLOUR, GRAIN and all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling all orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, PLASTER, SEEDS, &c., &c., at the lowest market rates.

Agents for the sale of James S. Welch's celebrated brands of **RAHMY FLOUR**.  
Agents for the sale of the "ROUND TOP" **HYDRAULIC CEMENT**.  
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ALEXANDRIA, VA.

**GENERAL COMMISSION-MERCHANTS.**  
Wholesale Dealers in  
GROCERIES, LIQUORS,  
PROVISIONS,  
SALT FISH,  
and PRODUCE.

Also keep on hand a general assortment of Cordage, Tar, Pitch, Nails, Lime, Packing, Oils, Lamps and Ship and Naval Stores.  
All orders and consignments promptly attended to, and goods forwarded without delay to consignees on arrival.

Agents for Dupont's Gunpowder,  
XXX Aile and Porter always on hand.  
Agents for the Baltimore and Potomac Transportation line.  
mh 10—**D. D. GOULD, W. H. WILKENSING,**  
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GROCERY, LIQUOR & GENERAL COMMISSION-MERCHANTS.

No. 30 North Royal st.  
SUGARS, WHISKEY, BRANDY, WINES, SCOTCH ALE, PORTER, &c.  
Also, Eastern and Potomac SHAD, HERRING and MACKEREL.  
Choice brands of SEGARS and TOBACCO always on hand.

Strict attention paid to the sale of COUNTRY PRODUCE.  
je 18—**THOMAS PERRY.**

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AND AGENT FOR  
**MAGNÉT BONTM AND BAUGH'S**  
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No. 15 King street, Alexandria, Va.  
Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of Country Produce, and filling orders for Guano, Plaster, Farming Implements, Seeds, Groceries, Fish, Salt, Lime, &c., at lowest market rates.  
aug 31—**GEORGE WASHINGTON, W. W. HERBERT**  
(Successors to Geo. Washington.)  
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No. 11 North Union st.,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.

Particular attention given to the sale of all kinds of COUNTRY PRODUCE, and filling orders for GROCERIES, GUANO, SEEDS, PLASTER, FISH, SALT, LIME, &c., at the lowest market price.  
feb 1—**J. E. LARKIN,**  
No. 210 Seventh street,  
[Between B street and Maryland Avenue]  
Washington, D. C.

**COMMISSION-MERCHANT.**  
Respectfully solicits consignments, believing he can average 10 per cent more for consignors than he can in any other market.  
Washington, Jan 31—**HOOE WEDDERBURN & CO.,**  
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COMMISSION, SHIPPING & FORWARDING MERCHANTS.

No. 2 Prince street.  
Also, dealers in GUANOS, SALT, LUMP and GROUND PLASTER, FISH, GRAIN and SUGARS.  
my 21—**GEO. H. ROBINSON & SON**  
GROCERS, FORWARDING AND COMMISSION-MERCHANTS,  
King street, Alexandria, Va.

Particular attention paid to the selling of all kinds of Country Produce. Goods forwarded promptly.  
nov 21—**DAVY & HARMON,**  
GROCERS, FEED & COMMISSION-MERCHANTS,  
Corner Prince and Royal sts.,  
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Special attention given to the sale of Country produce.  
my 3—**LUTHER D. HARRISON,**  
AGENT & COMMISSION-MERCHANT,  
No. 18 North Royal street.

Respectfully solicits consignments. Sales attended to with promptness and dispatch.  
oct 31—**NOTICE TO FISHERMEN.**

To all whom it may concern:  
In accordance with the joint resolution of the General Assembly of Virginia, approved November 18th, 1870, relative to the better enforcement of the law regulating the Potomac and Rappahannock fisheries, I hereby give notice that I am authorized to cruise in the Virginia Police Steamer Tredgare on the Virginia shore of the Potomac, and enforce the law relating to the said fisheries; and I call upon the citizens residing in the counties bordering on the river to inform me of violations of the law, and to aid in its execution.  
ORRIN A. BROWNE,  
Commander of State Steamer Tredgare.  
my 4—1m

**EARTHENWARE, CHINA AND GLASS-WARE.**  
I am now receiving my Spring stock of the above goods, bought at lowest cash prices. Country merchants and dealers generally are requested to call and examine my stocks and prices, as I am prepared to sell them goods at as low price and on as favorable terms as any house in the United States.  
mh 6—**E. J. MILLER, 65 King st.**

**SODA FOUNTAINS AND DRAUGHT TUBES FOR SALE.**  
I have on hand and will sell very low SEVEN SODA FOUNTAINS and ONE GENERATOR; also one of Bigelow's Revolving Syrup and Soda Draught Tubes; one of Nichols' and one of Mathew's Draught Tubes. Any one in want of any of the above articles will find a bargain by calling on  
**SAMUEL H. LUNT, Druggist,**  
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**NEW WALL PAPER.**  
Is now receiving his Spring supply of DECORATIONS,  
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ap 14—**201 FEED. 201**  
AUGUSTUS WALL,  
Wholesale and Retail Dealer in  
HAY, GRAIN, STRAW AND MILL FEED  
201 King street,  
ALEXANDRIA, VA.  
nov 10—**THE LADIES.**

I have just returned from the North with a couple assortment of the LATEST STYLES OF SUMMER MILLINERY, and will take pleasure in showing them to my customers.  
**M. E. FOSSETT,**  
my 12—1m No. 124 King St.

## RAILROADS.

**WASHINGTON & OHIO RAILROAD**  
SPRING SCHEDULE, BEGINNING  
MARCH 20, 1871.

Two Trains Daily, except Sundays, between Alexandria and Hamilton.

Leave Alexandria at 8:40 a. m. and 5 p. m. Arrive at Hamilton at 10:58 a. m. and 7:25 p. m. Leave Hamilton at 5:50 a. m. and 12:15 p. m. Arrive at Alexandria at 8:05 a. m. and 2:35 p. m. The 8:40 a. m. train from Alexandria and 12:15 p. m. train from Hamilton, connect at Hamilton with the Daily Line of Coaches for Purcellville, Snickersville, Berryville and Winchester; also, with Roamer's Line of Coaches, which leave Leesburg daily for Aldie and Middleburg.

Annual tickets, sixty dollars; commutation tickets, (25 trips) at 24 cents per mile.

**R. H. HAVENER,**  
General Ticket Agent.

**ALEXANDRIA & WASHINGTON R. R.**  
SPRING SCHEDULE, BEGINNING  
MARCH 20, 1871.

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Treasurer  
**OSCAR A. STEVENS.**  
Secretary  
**JOHN T. MERRICK.**  
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J. Dean Smith, Walter Lenox, George Wm. Brent, Oscar A. Stevens.

**DEPARTURE OF PASSENGER TRAINS.**  
On and after MONDAY, January 20th, 1871 through Mail Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue depot, at 7:10 a. m., for Lynchburg and intermediate stations, Sundays included, and 10:45 a. m., for Harrisonburg and intermediate stations on the Manassas Branch of the O. A. & M. R. R., Sundays excepted. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 2:00 p. m. from Harrisonburg, Sundays excepted, and 5:30 from Lynchburg, Sundays included.

Local Passenger Trains leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue Depot, at 7:15, 9:15 and 11:15 a. m. and 2:00, 3:30, 4:10 and 7:10 p. m. Leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 and 9:30 a. m., and from the corner of King and St. Asaph streets at 8, 9 and 10:15 a. m., and 1:3 and 5 p. m.

Local Sunday Trains leave Alexandria, from the corner of Duke and Henry streets, at 4:45 a. m. Leave Washington, from Maryland Avenue depot, at 7:10 p. m.

Through tickets can be procured at the office of the Company, corner of 3rd street and Maryland Avenue, Washington, and baggage checked through.

**O. A. STEVENS, Gen. Supt.**  
**W. J. PHELPS, Gen. Manager.** Jan 20—**ORANGE, ALEXANDRIA AND MANASSAS RAILROAD.**

On and after SUNDAY, April 30, 1871, one daily passenger train will run between WASHINGTON and LYNCHBURG, connecting at Gordonsville, with the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad to Richmond, Staunton and the Virginia Springs; at Lynchburg for the North and Southwest, and at Washington, to the North and West.

Leave Washington daily at 6:55 a. m., and Alexandria at 8:00 a. m., arriving at Lynchburg at 5:05 p. m.

Leave Lynchburg at 8:25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 9:25 p. m., and at Washington at 9:15 p. m.

For MANASSAS LINE leave Washington daily (excepting Sunday) at 10:30 a. m.; leave Alexandria at 11:20 a. m., pass Strasburg at 4:30 p. m., and arrive at Harrisonburg at 7:15 p. m.

Eastward, leave Harrisonburg at 6:30 a. m.; pass Strasburg at 9:25 a. m., arrive at Alexandria at 1:56 p. m., and at Washington in time for connecting with the 3:30 p. m. train from Washington to Baltimore.

Good connections, by comfortable coaches, are made to Fairfax Court House from Fairfax station; to Middleburg from Plains; to Upperville from Piedmont, and to Staunton from Harrisonburg.

Both the Eastward and Westward bound trains make close connection at Strasburg with the Winchester and Strasburg Railroad to Winchester, Harper's Ferry, &c.

Elegant sleeping cars are run daily between New York and Lynchburg, without change.

Also, cars through between Baltimore and Lynchburg, avoiding the inconvenience of transfer in Washington.

Through tickets and baggage checked to all prominent points.

**J. M. BROADUS,**  
General Ticket Agent  
jan 27—**STEAMBOATS.**

**MERCHANTS' LINE NEW YORK STAMPSHIPS.**  
The line consists of the following first-class outside steamers:  
**C. KNIGHT**.....Capt. W. S. Johnson  
**JOHN GIBSON**.....Capt. W. H. Winters  
AND  
**VALLEY CITY**.....Capt. Bedell

Will leave New York EVERY SATURDAY at 10 o'clock, and return to New York EVERY THURSDAY at 12 o'clock.

For freight or passage apply to  
**HOOE, WEDDERBURN & CO.,**  
Agents, No. 2 Prince street.

Agents in New York,  
**GEO. B. MERRICK,**  
ap 20—150 South street, Pier No. 20.

**NOTICE.**  
CHANGE OF STARTING TIME.  
The steamer COLUMBIA, Capt. James Harper, will leave Pier No. 5 every TUESDAY NIGHT, at 10 o'clock, for her usual landings on the Potomac and Baltimore.

Freight received on Tuesday until 4 p. m. Returning, she will leave Baltimore EVERY SATURDAY AFTERNOON, at 4 o'clock.

Freight received on Friday and Saturday at 4 p. m. for EVERY TUESDAY, at 12 o'clock.

N. B.—The Columbia will leave Baltimore on Saturday next, the 4th instant.

**POTOMAC TRANSPORTATION LINE**  
THE STEAMER EXPRESS,  
Capt. A. C. NICKLE,  
Will resume her route on Tuesday, February 28, leaving Pier No. 10 Light street wharf, Alexandria, EVERY TUESDAY, at 10 o'clock, for Baltimore, and returning, will leave Baltimore, EVERY SATURDAY, at 4 o'clock, for Alexandria, and will stop at Georgetown, stopping at the following way points on the Potomac river: Piney Point, Stone's wharf, Coburn, Chappico wharf, Chapel Point, Mathias Point, Smith's Point, Nanjemoy Stores and Poo's wharf.

Freight received on Tuesday until 4 p. m., Washington, will leave Sixth st. wharf, Washington, EVERY SATURDAY, at 6 a. m., and King street wharf, Alexandria, at 7 a. m.

**J. BRODERS & CO.,**  
No. 11 King street, Alexandria.  
feb 25

**NEW EXPRESS LINE**  
—BETWEEN—  
**PHILADELPHIA AND ALEXANDRIA, GEORGETOWN AND WASHINGTON.**

Steamers leave regularly from Georgetown, foot of Congress street, EVERY WEDNESDAY, from Alexandria, foot of King street, EVERY THURSDAY.

Freight received daily at lowest rates. This line connects with all the Northern, Eastern and Western Railroads and Transportation Companies, and will forward freight by all the lines running out of Philadelphia, free of commission, and gives THROUGH RATES.

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